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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re the Application of:

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Serial No.: 08/349,489

Filed: December 2, 1994

Title: **METHOD OF PROMOTING AN  
IMMUNE RESPONSE WITH A  
BISPECIFIC ANTIBODY**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2002. Submitted herewith is a petition for a three-month extension of time and appropriate fee, making a response due on or before September, 2002. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**I. AMENDMENTS**

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please add the following to the paragraph starting at page 29, line 26, as follows:

--The cell lines will be maintained at the named depository for a period of at least five (5) years after the most recent request for the furnishing of a sample of the deposited cell lines was received by the depository and, in any case, for a period of at least thirty

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